(a) whether the Coal India Management is considering a proposal to hand over Dankuni Coal Complex to a private foreign company;

(b) if so, the details of the proposal; and

(c) the reasons for such proposal/decision by the Coal India?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI DILIP RAY): (a) No Sir.

(b) and (c) Does not arise in view of reply to part (a).

Compassionate Appointments in BCCL

3535. SHRI E. BALANANDAN: Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state the number of cases for employment on death of employees or medical ground (NCWA 9.4.2 and 9.4.3) pending at the Headquarters of BCCL as on 31st March, 1998 and the facts in details giving the names and the period for which they are pending?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI DILIP RAY): Details of pending cases for employment on death of employees or medical ground under NCWA 9.4.2 and NCWA 9.4.3 at the headquarter of BCCL since 1991 and upto 31st March, 1998 are as under:—

Year	Employment Cases under NCWA (9.4.2)	Employment Cases under NCWA (9.4.3)
1991	12	06
1992	18	23
1993	29	10
1994	26	10
1995	45	04
1996	100	—
1997	151	07
1998(UPTO March' 98	95	18
TOTAL:	476	78

The information called for with regard to names of the persons waiting for employment is voluminous and it would not be commensurate with the efforts made to collect it.

As reported by Coal India Limited, the reasons for non-finalisation of these cases are as under:

1. Non-submission of required information by the claimant.
2. Undue delay on the part of claimant in submission of claim.
3. Claim submitted and objected by different nominees.
4. Incomplete/contradictory information submitted in the claim which are detected during scrutiny and its clarification, takes time.
5. Claims lodged by second wife or her son while the first wife is alive.

Non-Implementation of Awards by BCCL

3536. SHRI E. BALANANDAN: Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Tribunal Awards not implemented by BCCL as on 31st March, 1998 giving the names, dates and reasons for non-implementation of the awards;

(b) whether there are prosecution cases instituted for non-implementation; and

(c) the details of the legal expenses of BCCL for the last three years with year-wise break up and the steps taken on that?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTER OF COAL (SHRI DILIP RAY): (a) The details of awards pending for implementation in BCCL from 1982 onwards and upto 31.3.1998 are as under:—